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Mr. S. Simpson, President
Raybestos-Manhattan, Inc.
Bridgeport, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Simpson:

Plans for improving peacetime products and for the industrial activity ahead must, if fully practical, provide for improving the physical working conditions under which the products are made. In this, the Foundation can be invaluable to your company. Our Staff brings you experience gleaned in hundreds of plants in all types of industries, and as Charles F. Kettering told Foundation Members, "the better the working conditions, the better the work."

Foundation studies, now nearing completion, will help you in the year ahead in answering such questions as:

What are the functions and relationships of a medical department?

How can we best conserve the health of our key supervisory personnel, often impaired under wartime pressure?

What legal developments and trends in industrial health may affect our operations — Labor and Health Department Codes, etc.?

How can our chemists or engineers help us maintain good housekeeping, better industrial ventilation, etc.?

What are the latest engineering procedures for controlling health hazards from solvent vapors, silica dust, etc.?

A healthy plant population and good physical working conditions can no more be taken for granted than good labor relations or public relations (and the three are interdependent). This intangible asset must be earned through intelligent effort in which the Foundation can give you specialized assistance. Further, besides the specific membership services available to your company, there are broader benefits. Industry's creation and voluntary support of Industrial Hygiene Foundation demonstrates the progressive Industrial Leadership so essential in the face of the present "world sweep to Stateism."

The statement enclosed covers your company's membership in the Foundation for 1946. The Foundation is increasing its Staff, its activities, and its facilities at Mellon Institute. Each member of the Staff looks forward with earnest desire to serving you in the important year ahead.

Very truly yours,

John F. McMahon
Managing Director

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